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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PGOV, BQG, CGEN
SUBJECT: REQUEST BY SOVIET EMBASSY OFFICIALS IN EAST
BERLIN FOR FRG VISA

1. FRG BONN GROUP REP (VON BRAUNMUEHL) HAS JUST INFORMED US THAT KHOTULEV HAS ASKED FOR AN FRG VISA TO ATTEND A WEDDING IN THE FRG. LIKEWISE, ABRASIMOV'S WIFE WISHES TO TRANSIT THE FRG TO GO TO PARIS FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT. VON BRAUNMUEHL MENTIONED THAT WHEN THE ALLIED FACILITIES BUREAU IN WEST BERLIN WAS MENTIONED, KHOTULEV SAID HE WOULD RATHER GET AN FRG VISA THAN GO THROUGH AN ORGANIZATION WHICH WAS A "RELIC" OF THE COLD WAR.

2. VON BRAUNMUEHL SAID THE FRG WOULD LIKE TO GRANT THE VISAS (THE PASSPORTS WOULD PROBABLY BE SENT TO BONN FOR THIS PURPOSE) AND ASKED WHETHER THERE WOULD BE NO ALLIED OBJECTION OR WHETHER WE WOULD INSIST ON THE CONFIDENTIAL

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SOVIETS OBTAINING PERMITS FROM THE ALLIES.

3. WE PROMISED TO INQUIRE AND PROVIDE A PROMPT ANSWER SINCE THE FRG WISHES TO RESPOND QUICKLY TO THE SOVIET EMBASSY.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: USBER'S RECOMMENDATIONS AS TO

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HOW TO RESPOND TO VON BRAUNMUEHL.
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